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This is a request for a ☒ continuation or ☐ divisional application under 37 CFR 1.53(d), (continued prosecution application (CPA)) of prior application number 09/240,975, filed on 01/29/99, entitled AN IC CARD HAVING A DEDICATED WRITE CONTROLLER FOR WRITING TO INCORPORATED EEPROM ON THE CARD (as amended)

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- a. ☐ *DELETE* the following inventor(s) named in the prior nonprovisional application:
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For: AN IC CARD HAVING A DEDICATED WRITE CONTROLLER FOR
WRITING TO INCORPORATED EEPROM ON THE CARD (As Amended)

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner of Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed January 31, 2001,
please amend the above-identified application as follows. A
Request for Continued Prosecution Application and Petition for
Extension of Time accompany this response.

IN THE CLAIMS

Please rewrite claims 21, 23, 24, 28, 29 and 30 as set
forth below.

21. (Amended) A microcomputer comprising:
an electrically programmable ROM having:
a first area to store a program therein and
a second area to store data therein;
a memory storing a write control program for a
writing to the electrically programmable ROM;
a CPU executing the program and the write control
program,

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